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March 31, 2020

The Honorable Ona T. Wang  
United States Magistrate Judge  
Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, New York, 10007

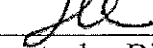
Re: United States v. Hamid Akhavan et al., No. S3 20 Cr. 188 (JSR)

Dear Judge Wang:

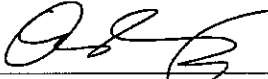
The Government writes respectfully to request that the Court unseal the above-referenced indictment, S3 20 Cr. 188, be unsealed. I have been advised that Hamid Akhavan and Ruben Weigand have both been arrested and presented in the Central District of California.

Respectfully submitted,

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SO ORDERED:

 31 Mar 20  
HONORABLE ONA T. WANG  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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